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1. William C. Whitney, Secretary of the Navy. 2. William F. Vilas, Postmaster General. 3. Daniel Manning, Secretary of the Treasury. 4. Lucius Q. C. Lamar, Secretary of the Interior. 5. William C. Endicott, Secretary of War. 6. Augustus H. Garland, Attorney-General. 7. Thos. F. Bayard, Secretary of State.

THE NEW CABINET.

We take particular pleasure in pre-
senting our readers with faithful por-
traits of President Cleveland's
advisers, the heads of the Executive
departments at Washington, in one
group, with accompanying brief
sketches of these eminent persons.

THOMAS F. BAYARD.

Thos. F. Bayard, of Delaware, is
the first in the list, as Secretary of
State. He was born in the State of
which he is an honored son, October
29, 1828. His early ambition was for
a mercantile career, but he was per-
suaded to read law, and in 1851, was
appointed to the Bar. In 1853 he was
appointed by President Pierce, United
States District Attorney, but soon
resigned the office. He suc-
ceeded his father as United States Sen-
ator in March, 1869, was re-elected in
1875, and again in 1881. As a mem-
ber of the Electoral Commission, af-
ter the disputed election of 1876,
he voted with the unsuccessful seven.
Secretary Bayard has been strongly
supported for nomination to the Pres-
idency.

DANIEL MANNING.

Daniel Manning, of New York, Sec-
retary of the Treasury, was born in
Albany, New York, about forty-
seven years ago. His parents were
extremely poor, and at an early age
he was employed on the Albany Ar-
gus. Rising step by step, he became
composer in that journal, then a re-
porter and editor, and is now Pres-
ident of the company owning it. Mr.
Manning is an intimate friend of
Samuel J. Tilden and President
Cleveland. He has been twice mar-
ried, the second time recently, and
has two children by his first wife, a
son and daughter.

WILLIAM C. ENDICOTT.

The New Secretary of War, Wil-
liam C. Endicott, of Massachusetts,
was born at Salem in the Bay State,
where he now resides. In the year
1827. He was educated at Harvard
College. After his graduation,
in 1847, he entered the Harvard Ar-
my School, and having completed
the course of lectures read law in the
office of an eminent firm. He was
admitted to the Bar in 1850, and rose
to eminence in his profession. In
1873 he was appointed by Governor
Washburn, a Judge of the Supreme
Court of Massachusetts. His health
being bad he resigned this office in
1882, and subsequently spent consid-
erable time in travel. Before 1880
he was a member of the Whig party.
He was an unsuccessful candidate for
the Governorship of Massachusetts
last fall.

WILLIAM C. WHITNEY.

The responsibilities of the head of
the Navy Department have been
assumed by William C. Whitney, of
New York, who was born at Conway,
Massachusetts, in 1839. He received
a superior education, including the
full course at Yale College. After
graduation he entered the Law class
at Harvard, and graduated there in
1865. He removed to New York
City, where he was admitted to the
Bar and where he continues the
practice of his profession. He has
been an active member of the Demo-
cratic party. As Corporation Counsel
of New York, seven years, he man-
ifested great ability and usefulness.
He is rich and the son-in-law of Sen-
ator Payne of Ohio. As Secretary of
the Navy he will find ample scope for
his industry and capability.

LUCIUS Q. C. LAMAR.

Mississippi is represented in the
Cabinet by L. Q. C. Lamar, who is a
Georgian by birth. He received a
thorough education, read law and
was admitted to the Bar. In 1849 he
became a professor of mathematics at
the State University, Oxford, Missis-
sippi. Returning to Georgia he prac-
ticed law at Covington in that State,
and began his career as a statesman
by serving one term in its Legisla-
ture. He returned to Mississippi in
1854, was elected to the Thirty-fifth
Congress and the next year resigned
when his State seceded and became a
Lieutenant-Colonel in the Confed-
erate Army. He was sent to St. Peters-
burg by the Government at Richmond
in 1863. After the war he resumed
teaching at the University of Missis-
sippi, while Professor of the law in
that institution was elected to the
Forty-third Congress. He took his
seat as Senator March 3, 1877, and
was elected the second time, for the
term ending March 3, 1883.

WILLIAM F. VILAS.

Postmaster-General Vilas, of Wis-
consin, was born at Chelsea, Vermont,
in 1840. When eleven years of age
he removed to Wisconsin, where he
was liberally educated. He gradu-
ated from the Law School at Albany,
New York, in 1860, and was admitted
to the Bar of the Empire State. He
began practice in Wisconsin, in the
same year. Entering the Volunteer
service as Captain he rose to be Lieut-
enant-Colonel during the war; but
resigned his commission, and recom-
menced the practice of the law, Jan-
uary 1, 1864. He refused the nomi-
nation for Governor in 1879. At the
Democratic Convention of last year
he was permanent Chairman, and
thus became known to the nation.

AUGUSTUS H. GARLAND.

Augustus H. Garland, of Arkansas,
is the new Attorney-General. He

was born in Tipton county, Tennes-
see, June 11, 1832. When he was a
year old his parents removed to
Arkansas. He received a Catholic
education at Bardonia, Kentucky,
where he also began the study of law.
In 1853 he was admitted to practice
at Washington, Arkansas, and three
years after removed to Little Rock,
the capital of the State, which is still
his residence. His admission as an
attorney of the Supreme Court of the
United States took place in 1860.
After opposing the secession of his
State as long as he could, he gave
his best support to the Confederate
cause, and was elected a Representative
and afterwards a Senator to the
Congress at Richmond. In 1865 he
applied for permission to practice in
the United States Supreme Court,
without taking "the ironclad oath."
The result was a legal controversy
not finally settled until December,
1867, when it was decided in his favor.
While the case was pending he was
refused admission to the United
States Senate, to which he had been
elected by the Legislature of Arkansas.
Mr. Garland was elected Gov-
ernor of Arkansas in 1874. In March,
1877 he took his seat in the Senate at
Washington. He was re-elected for
the term beginning in March, 1883.

AN INTERESTING COMPILA- TION.

The Number of Words and I's in
Each Inaugural Address.

The table below shows the number
of words in each inaugural address;
also how often the personal pronoun
"I" was used:

	No. of Words.	No. of I's.
Washington, first term.....	1,300	20
Washington, second term.....	1,300	20
J. Adams.....	2,311	13
Jefferson, first term.....	1,526	16
Jefferson, second term.....	2,125	16
Madison, first term.....	1,170	11
Madison, second term.....	1,119	4
Monroe, first term.....	1,424	8
Monroe, second term.....	1,424	25
J. Q. Adams.....	1,116	11
Jackson, first term.....	1,167	36
Jackson, second term.....	1,167	36
Van Buren.....	8,378	18
Fillmore.....	1,543	15
Polk.....	1,494	15
Taylor.....	1,403	15
Pierce.....	1,519	23
Lincoln, first term.....	3,388	23
Lincoln, second term.....	3,388	23
Johnson.....	1,129	15
Grant, first term.....	2,472	24
Grant, second term.....	2,472	16
R. B. Hayes.....	2,919	10
Garfield.....	1,481	10
Cleveland.....	1,688	5

Millard Fillmore took the oath
without delivering an inaugural
address.

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HOW NIAGARA CAME ABOUT.

The Curious Story That is Told
By a Geologist.

Dr. Julius Pohlman, a local geol-
ogist at Niagara Falls, gives the fol-
lowing theory of how the present
cataract came into existence: "In
tracing the origin of this river," he
said, "we must go away back into
the pre-glacial times, when the two
rivers at Niagara Falls occupied by a
of the great lakes was occupied by a
contained lake fifty miles in length
and from ten to twelve miles in
width, with a possible maximum
depth of sixty feet. The northern
barrier of the lake was of lime-
stone formation. Being about fifty
feet lower than the southern one,
the overflow of water was toward
the way into the present channel of
Niagara river somewhere above the
upper rapids of the river above the
falls. From here the waters met no
obstacle, and in their flow prede-
termined the river gorge between the
falls and the whirlpool, and contin-
ued in a straight course north
through the side of the whirlpool,
and thence through the valley of the
David's in Niagara valley and on-
ward through the Ontario valley."
"I have made careful searches and
find this track of the river from the
whirlpool through Canada. By and
by the Tonawanda lake began to sub-
side and finally was reduced to a
river with a wide, low valley on
each side. The course in making his
way out of the valley of the ancient
lake changed. It flowed into the
channel of the present Niagara,
where the present Tonawanda river
enters now. It curved around the
southern margin of Grand Island—
which formed a shallow part of the
northern margin of the lake, and
had risen as a peninsula in the
course of time—and then flowed
north into the original channel of
the outlet, thus determining the two
branches of the present river. That
branch of the Niagara river which
separates the island from the main
land is of quite modern origin, as
testified to by surroundings. Well,
the erosion across the thin bed of
Niagara limestone naturally cut one
or the other parts of the outlet deeper
than the rest, and confining the
smaller channels, gave birth to a
number of larger and smaller islands,
known at present as Goat, Bath, Lu-
na, the Sisters, etc.

"The branches of the River joined
again into one stream as they ap-
proached the heavy Niagara lime-
stone at about the site of the new
suspension or foot bridge, and rush-
ing north for about three quarters
of a mile, where they fell over a pre-
cious of over 100 feet. Goat island
extended northwesterly in a tri-
angular prolongation, with its apex
somewhere above the valley of the
end of the present American fall.
Below this fall of 100 feet, that I
have just spoken of, the river descend-
ed in rapids over shale until it en-
countered the Clinton limestone
near the railroad suspension bridge,
where it took another leap. From
here a short rapid carried it to the
entrance of the whirlpool, where an
other fall was caused by quartzite
sandstone of the Medina group. There
was a rapid current to Ontario basin.
The volume of water then was ex-
ceedingly small as compared with
the estimated 20,000,000 cubic feet
a minute of the present.
Now at the time of the glacial pe-

riod the movement of the ice sheet
was in a northwesterly direction.
The channel of the great river which
I remarked about in the beginning
was excavated deeply, and the val-
ley of the great lakes formed. When
the arctic region again changed into
a temperate one, the ice sheet retreat-
ed northward and in melting spread
all over the land the ground-up ma-
terial, as well as the rocks which
had been caught up and carried un-
der, and the valleys of St. David's,
Tonawanda and others were more or
less completely filled up with drift.
The channel of the old Tonawanda
river from the whirlpool was also
excluded in the filling process. Af-
ter long ages the ice disappeared and
the bed it had occupied became a
seat of a chain of great lakes. At
this time lakes Erie and Ontario
formed two large bodies of water
and were at the same level—that is
their surfaces were even with Lewis-
ton heights. The waters in the
lakes began to subside and a mud
flat appeared between them, extend-
ing from Buffalo to Lewistown. A
outlet from Lake Erie was formed
through this flat, and we have the
present Niagara river."—Buffalo
Courier.

Peterson's Magazine.

For April comes to us with a lovely
steel-engraving of "Adeline," one of
Tennyson's heroines; a beautiful,
double-size, steel, colored fashion-
plate; and half a hundred other il-
lustrations for stories, work-table,
fashions, etc., etc. The stories—
though "Peterson's" is catered for
good stories are better than ever.
Frank Lee Benedict's, "The Burglary
at Archers," is full of humor. Mrs.
Stephens's, "The Motherless Girl,"
gets more pathetic and powerful as
it goes on. The brilliant novelet of
New York fashionable life, by Mrs.
John Sherwood, "The Lost Ariadne,"
comes to a conclusion, in which the
parties who deserved it are properly
made happy. A novel by a new
author, "A Tale of Louisiana Phe-
lands," opens with great vigor, is
full of local color, and promises to
be quite rival Cable, in its pictures of
creole life. Certainly every woman
of refinement ought to have this mag-
azine, for it is emphatically the lady's
book; and the terms are but two dol-
lars a year, with great deductions to
clubs. This is a good time to sub-
scribe. Specimens are sent gratis, if
written for, to those wishing to get
up clubs. Address Chas. J. Peterson,
306 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.

The Broken Household.

[Special to the Courier-Journal.]

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The work
of the retiring Cabinet officers for the
past two days has been confined to
signing papers of a routine character,
which needed immediate attention,
and to signing letters which were
ordered written before inauguration
day. They received many calls,
which were principally of a last-tak-
ing nature. All of these retiring
officials have completed their plans
for the future.

Mr. Frelinghuysen does not like to
live at the capital, although a perma-
nent residence here would be very
satisfactory to the members of his
family, and his intention is to remove
to his residence at Haritan, N. J. He
will occupy his residence in this city,
however, for about a month, during
a portion of which time he will have
Mr. Arthur and his children as his
guests. His house will be advertised
for sale in the meantime.

Mr. McCulloch will resume the un-
pretentious mode of living to which
he was accustomed before he became
Secretary of the Treasury for a second
time. With his family he will spend
the summer at his country residence
near Washington.

Mr. Lincoln intends to take a good
rest for three or four months before
resuming the practice of his profes-
sion in Chicago. He will retain his
residence on Massachusetts avenue
for at least a month. He will prob-
ably go to Chicago, however, in a
week or two to attend to some matters
of a personal nature.

Secretary Chandler intends resid-
ing on I street until summer begins,
when he will remove to New Hamp-
shire. A Senator from that State will
be elected this summer. Mr. Teller
simply changes from the Interior De-
partment to the Senate and will retain
his residence on M street.

Mr. Hatton will not be a great
while in removing to his old home
in Burlington, Ia., to look after the
interests of the Burlington Hawkeye.
He says the newspaper business suits
him better than anything he has
struck yet. Mr. Brewster has given
up his house in this city. All his
furniture has been packed, and most
of it shipped to Philadelphia, where
he will go as soon as he is relieved as
Attorney General. Mrs. Brewster
leaves for that city to-day, and Mr.
Brewster will follow her in a day or
two.

Patriotic Students.

Boston, March 5.—About mid-
night on Tuesday last six Institute of
Technology students, four of them
Southerners, crept on the roofs of
their lodging houses on opposite
sides of Columbus avenue, and ran
out on a telegraph wire which span-
ned that street to the Confederate flag
displaying the blue cross of St. Andrew
and eleven stars and bars, and bear-
ing the legends "Hurrah for the
Solid South" and "Rum, Romanism
and Rebellion" surmounted by a
skull and crossbones. When in the
morning this banner was seen flau-
tantly in the breeze a company of stu-
dents was ordered to remove it. The
flag was hauled down and torn into
strips.

Rules For Skating.

[Ashland Independent.]

For the benefit of a score or more
of correspondents who have written
for information, the Independent has
devised the following set of rules:

I.—On entering the rink, ignore the
doorkeeper.

II.—Go to the skating room at once
and get the desired size of skates,
without a check.

III.—Adjust your skates to the feet
with the buckles on the inside. This
will afford you many opportunities
for "picking yourself up."

IV.—Roll out on the skating surface

directly in front of a couple of ladies.
* * * After getting on your feet
again, skate away unconcernedly,
leaving the ladies to gain their equi-
librium as best they can.

V.—Make a stroke that will carry
you from one end of the rink to the
other end of Petersburg.

VI.—When skating backwards, al-
ways watch the person following you,
pay no attention to the children who
may be ahead of you.

VII.—Oil the wheels of your skates,
not the axles.

VIII.—Meeting a friend on the
rollers, tip your skating cap, stop
right in the middle of the crowded
skating course, turn round and follow
the party.

IX.—When desirous of stopping
suddenly, raise both feet simultane-
ously, on the toes. This is the quick-
est stop on record.

X.—Think twice before you adopt
these rules finally.

AN EGG WITHIN AN EGG.

The Marvelous Production of an
Owensboro Hen.

[Inquirer.]

Hens are notoriously erratic in
their habits, and will occasionally
depart from the regulation size and
shape to lay an egg of unusual form
or dimension. A Dorking belonging
to Mr. James Moorman, of this city,
however, has superseded all her cack-
ling sisterhood in the phenomenal
specimen of the useful vegetable with
which she favored her owner last
Sunday. It has been an ungratified
ambition with the doyens of the
farm-yard, time out of mind, to lay
two eggs in one day, and the pullet
above mentioned came nearer accom-
plishing the feat than any other hen
has yet attained.

The egg in question was about
double the ordinary size, but the
remarkable feature about it was that
when broken open and the white and
yolk had been poured out, there was
found to be another egg inside, en-
closed in a shell just like the outer
one and in every respect perfect. The
intelligent fowl doubtless realized the
approach of the Easter season, and
was doing her best to meet the pros-
pective demand. Mr. Moorman's
word for the foregoing is sufficient
guarantee for its verity.

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medicine, S. S. S. Among others,
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the merits of this remedy:

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in my right ear, for about three
years. I tried various remedies and
was treated with Iodine of Potash,
which produced rheumatism, my
feet and legs were greatly swollen, so
that I could not walk. About one
year ago I was induced to try Swift's
Specific, which soon removed the
trouble in my limbs, and my rheuma-
tism is now entirely gone and my
Cancer is steadily improving, being
better now than at any time within
two years. This medicine has done
me more good than anything else I
have taken, and I feel that I am on
the road to a speedy cure. Undoubt-
edly Swift's Specific is the best blood
purifier in the world."

JOHN S. MORROW.

Florence, Ala., Sept. 22, '84.

I have had a cancer on my face for
many years. I have tried great
many remedies, but without relief.
I almost gave up hope of ever being
cured. Dr. Hardman, my son, recom-
mended Swift's Specific, which I
have taken with great results. My
face is almost well, and it is impos-
sible for me to express my thanks in
words for what this medicine has
done for me.

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Monroe, Ga., Sept. 2 1884.

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The Shakers Shaking.

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teeth out and shake the buttons off
your coat. What drives chills and
fever out? Brown's Iron Bitters. If
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once, and don't shake any more. Mr.
Chas. M. Newell, of Tetterton, Va.,
says, "I used Brown's Iron Bitters
last fall for chills and fever, and de-
rived great benefit." It is the best
tonic known.

The Viper and the File. A Fable.

John Kendrick.

A rapacious Viper, being sadly in
need of Sustenance, was wandering
aimlessly about, one cool April after-
noon, Seeking what he might devour,
when he met an inviting-looking
File, upon which he resolved to feed.
"Go to Viper, old man," said the
File, "you can have all the Juice you
can get out of me, and Welcome; but
I warn you to desist, as I am almost
as Mortalifacius as our cousin, Chole-
ra Germ!"

But the Viper, persisting in his
reckless repast, Swallowed the File
entire, and Having done so, curled
up his legs and died.

And no wonder. He had eaten a
File of The Congressional Record.

MORAL.

Even Snakes cannot stand some
Things.

How An Editor Popped.

From the Boston Courier.

Editors have their peculiarities as
well as other people. They practice
and inculcate brevity, which is a
virtue. They are absent-minded,
which is a failing. It is not strange,
then, that one should send the fol-
lowing to his lady-love like the follow-
ing: "I adore you! Will you be mine?
Answer!" Then after a moment of
thought, he added in a dreamy, ab-
sent way: "Write only on one side
of the paper. Write plainly and
give real name, not necessarily for
publication, but as a guarantee of
good faith."

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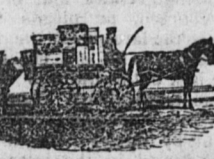
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The Southern Exposition, at Louisville for 1885 will open Aug. 15th and close Oct. 24th.

Gen. Don P. Fernandez, President of the republic of Costa Rica, died suddenly Friday morning.

The work of retrenchment and reform goes bravely on at Washington. Thirty-eight special agents of the Pension Bureau have been notified that their services will not be required after the first of April. This will be a saving of \$40,000 to the government.

Office-seekers who went to Washington in search of government positions, have despaired of getting places in the near future, and are returning to their homes to wait until the spirit moves the President. The changes made will be very few, at least for some time to come. No employees will be dismissed from the departments except for neglect of duty or some other good cause.

Ex-Senator Jas. G. Blaine, called at the White House Friday evening to pay his respects to President Cleveland. The meeting between the two gentlemen was a hearty one, each shaking the other by the hand with a warm grasp. They were closeted together nearly an hour and when Mr. Blaine came out the President accompanied him to the door, and gave him a cordial invitation to visit the executive mansion frequently.

Secretary Lamar and Attorney General Garland have issued orders that all the horses, carriages and equipments which are the property of their Departments, excepting those used for trucking purposes, be sold at public auction and the proceeds turned into the treasury. This reform movement will render the services of a number of drivers and coachmen unnecessary and the amount saved to the government will amount to thousands of dollars.

It will be observed that the SOUTH KENTUCKIAN presents the portraits of the new Cabinet in to-day's paper. The portrait feature which we have kept up for nearly a year, is an expensive one, but it is our aim and desire to adopt such special features as will convince all of the superior merits of our paper. We shall spare no pains to make it the best paper in Southern Kentucky, as well as the cheapest, and we trust our efforts may meet the approval of the reading public.

Mr. John Hall has severed his proprietary and editorial connection with the Madisonville Gleaner and will resume the practice of law. The reason assigned is that a paper in a town like Madisonville cannot be made to furnish sufficient compensation for two editors. Mr. Hall carries with him, in retiring from the profession, the best wishes of his brethren of the press. Mr. Givens has abandoned the proposed plan of moving to Henderson and will continue the publication of the Gleaner at Madisonville, with Prof. Glenn as assistant.

The worst exhibition of spleen we have seen lately, is the following vicious attack upon Gov. Knott by the Henderson Journal:

"Comparisons are sometimes odious. So they must be when Proctor Knott is compared to Dr. Luke P. Blackburn. Our candid opinion is that *Mister Knott* is the most decidedly infinitesimal Governor Kentucky has ever had or ever will have if the people will only open their eyes. He is not even the equal of a County Judge."

This assault may afford the writer an opportunity to rid himself of "bile," but it can do him no good, and of course can do no harm to a man of Gov. Knott's standing as a statesman and official. The Journal does not divulge the secret of its vindictive wrath, but simply jumps on the poor Governor with both feet without so much as giving a reason.

The Louisville Commercial may be cranky on some subjects, but it has fought a good fight and won a great victory in having the gambling houses of Louisville closed by the police. Several squares in the city were honey-combed with richly furnished apartments for poker, ke-no and faro. They defied the law, and it was openly charged that those whose duty it was to enforce the laws were financially interested in these gilded dens of iniquity. A few weeks ago the Commercial began a vigorous fight on the vice. Daily editorials appeared urging the officials to enforce the laws, which experience shows were amply sufficient. Columns of biting ridicule were launched against the trifling raid of the police on petty gangs of "countz" players in dark alleys. Col. Dick Watts, for years a prominent councilman, had given occasion for the attack by open boasts that his new building, the Palais Royal, would be one of the finest gambling houses in the world, and promised to open it in a blaze of splendor seldom witnessed. The city authorities at last succumbed to the demand for the law. On 10 o'clock Friday night the police raided the gambling establishments, one by one, and closed them and for once there is no public gambling in the city of Louisville. All honor to the Commercial and Mayor Reed.

GRAVE CHARGES.

A Lawyer's Defense Before the Grand Jury.

The Grand Jury in a spirit of fun preferred charges against Mr. R. W. Henry for cutting open the "Jack" bag of Jordan Taylor, the Casky murderer, who killed his mistress after his "love powders and rabbit foot" had failed to retain her affections. Mr. Henry was notified of their action and submitted the following defense:

To the Honorable Grand Jury of Christian County, March Term 1885:

The undersigned, being informed that charges of a serious and solemn nature are being preferred against him before your honorable body, begs leave to make this his defense: "Nothing extenuating nor setting down aught in malice."

As to the high crimes and misdemeanors charged, he pleads "not guilty" as to the larceny of the rabbit's foot, and says he did cut open the magic jack but he did this without any felonious intent. From his earliest infancy this petitioner has been taught, by nurse, house-maids and others versed in the mysteries and powers of the black art, that the left hind foot of a grave-yard rabbit had much power and virtue in it. That a person possessed of one of these potent symbols might transgress the laws of both God and man with impunity. Believing this to be true and hearing that Jordan Taylor had in his possession such a shield and protection yet was overtaken in a fault, your petitioner was forced to believe that the left hind foot of a grave-yard rabbit was no good, or that Jordan did not have one, or that Jordan had not been overtaken in his fault. Having prosecuted Jordan in the lower court your petitioner was convinced that he had been overtaken and the only alternative left was to either lose confidence in the protective power of a rabbit's foot or to prove that Jordan did not have one. To this end and with no other purpose than to vindicate the left hind foot of a grave-yard rabbit in its ancient and reputed claim to magic power, this petitioner opened said jack. There was no rabbit's foot in it, neither for nor hind foot. Neither was there a foot of a grave-yard rabbit nor of a rabbit with a more joyous place of residence. This petitioner did not open said jack with a view of abstracting therefrom any valuable, but only for the purpose of investigation and with a view to scientific verification. Petitioner is rejoiced with a great joy to report to this Grand Jury and to all who may be interested in the noble science of sorcery that Jordan Taylor's detection is due to his not having what he thought he had. If there had been in the possession of said Taylor the left hind foot of a grave-yard rabbit, who can stand up and say that he would have ever confessed or have been detected? Nay verily, we maintain that the traditions of our fathers are not idle nursery tales, nor should we lose sight of the ghost stories we heard in the chimney corner of the olden time. There is much wisdom in the science of "Voudouism" and there is knowledge to be gained from love powders, may-apple root and mole's ears.

Your petitioner humbly submits that he should not be indicted for larceny for he took nothing, that he should not be indicted for breaking into enclosed premises, since he did not break in with any felonious intent, and he should not be indicted for cutting a "jack" for the thing he cut was not a jack as it had in it no rabbit's foot.

R. W. HENRY.

There were audited on March 11 and paid out of the State Treasury idiot claims to the amount of eleven hundred and ninety-one dollars and twenty-five cents, (1,191 25) all from one county. This was the semi-annual allowance for the support of thirty-four idiots. Among this lot were seven new ones. At this rate how long will it be before the idiots are in a majority in that county? And may not this be a key to the systematic robbery of the Treasury, of which the readers of the Commercial have, of late, heard so much? Will the next Legislature have the nerve to repeal the law under which such outrages are perpetrated, and relegate to the counties the care of the few of this class of poor unfortunate who are really objects of charity. Repeal the idiot law and stop the fraud.—Yeoman.

Senator Wade Hampton, of South Carolina, is suffering from blood poisoning, and is in a very critical condition.

RAILROAD TALK.

Cadiz Willing to do Her Part.

The Cadiz Telephone is making a gallant fight for the railroad from this city to Cadiz, to be built by a stock company. In its last issue it publishes interviews with T. H. Grinter, J. L. Street, J. W. Crenshaw, F. G. Terry, Jno. G. Jefferson, R. A. Burnett, G. S. Wharton, J. J. Garton, M. H. Jagoe, McBride & Hawkins, R. Crenshaw, B. F. Goodwin, J. M. Boyd, E. L. Hancock, Jno. D. Shaw, Mrs. Rawlins, W. N. Brandon, J. Wallis, J. E. Kelly, Abe Quick, Jr., Sumner & Hughes, H. M. Garton & Son, Frank Jennings and W. H. Timmons, all leading citizens of Cadiz and they are all heartily in favor of the road. The people of Cadiz are determined to have a railroad and unless this project materializes they will accept any other proposition made. The I. A. & T. road is talking about building a branch from the Christian county line to Cadiz and the Trigg county people are ready to accept the best proposition offered. A number of communications on the subject are in the Telephone of Friday from citizens of Cadiz, from one of which the following extract is taken:

"If Hopkinsville will act with us, and we can act in harmony, I see no reason why we cannot secure the assistance of the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad company, and run a line from the vicinity of Greenville to this

place. This would give us a direct daily communication with Louisville and put us in the most favorable position for obtaining fuel. This would give Hopkinsville a competing line. This to my mind is the most desirable line. The facts and figures given you last week are convincing. The road could be made to pay well.

To this road I believe that our people would subscribe liberally, if the proposition could be presented in a business like manner. The city of Hopkinsville seems more interested in the matter than ever before. She has the wealth and influence to make the movement a success, and she will find in Cadiz a willing ally.

CITIZEN OF CADIZ.

This shows how the matter is regarded by the people of Cadiz. They much prefer a road to Hopkinsville but they are determined to have an outlet of some kind. Another correspondent says: "In the event that this project does not materialize our people should put themselves in communication with the authorities who are constructing the I. A. & T. road from Clarksville, Tenn., to Princeton, Ky. It is but ten miles to Bryan's station, and I am sure the convicts now in the State prison doing nothing and at an expense of \$200 per day, and the authorities borrowing the money to pay said expenses could be had at a nominal price to grade the road. 200 hands could do the work in two or three months at least by the time the road from Clarksville is completed to Bryan's. Then I have no doubt the I. A. & T. would iron, equip and run this branch. Our people should better themselves."

The whole town and county is becoming thoroughly aroused and the road from Greenville to Cadiz will be built if the proper efforts are put forth all along the line. We believe Hopkinsville will do her part and Cadiz will heartily co-operate with her. Get the road on foot and the C. & O. Company will help it along to completion. Several thousand dollars of stock have already been subscribed by citizens of Hopkinsville and more will be subscribed if necessary. If proper efforts are but forth by the officers of the company recently organized, the cars will be running to Cadiz in twelve months time.

A Trip to Trigg County.

Last Tuesday morning the junior of the SOUTH KENTUCKIAN left the city, bound for Trigg county. The roads were pretty dry, though somewhat rough, with a few occasional mud holes. Our first stop was at McGee's Store, and upon inquiry found that Mr. McGee had gone to Newstead on business connected with his store at that place. No better business man can be found anywhere than Mr. J. W. McGee, who, besides his store at Bellevue, owns an interest in a general merchandising house at Newstead and one at Montgomery, Ky., and the success of these houses attest his ability as a merchant.

The next station was Montgomery, a thriving little village in Trigg, which is situated in the best farming section of that county. The Merchants are McGee Bros., who have met with such success as to require an extension of their already large building, and Gaines Bros., who are the oldest business men of the place, and who were opening a fresh supply of goods. Mr. J. J. Gaines, has the only regular grocery store in the place, and has enjoyed a good trade for several years. Dr. Henry Blane is the physician of the place, and has a large practice.

We arrived in Cadiz in the afternoon, and at once proceeded to interview the people from a business standpoint. We added several names to our list, and felt assured that the SOUTH KENTUCKIAN is growing in popularity in Trigg.

We called upon Mr. Jno. G. Jefferson, the County Clerk, who informed us that he had served the people in his present capacity for 16 years, which is a sufficient guaranty that he has made a most excellent officer. Candidates for the office in 1886 are already making themselves known, and by coming out at this early date show that they realize how difficult it will be to beat Mr. Jefferson, should he be a candidate. He is one of the best clerks in the state and the people of Trigg will not give him up.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lindsay, died Sunday the 8th inst., at the residence of her son, Dr. Geo. Lindsay, in the 88th year of her age. Mr. Lindsay and wife were absent at New Orleans, and her remains were not interred until Wednesday, evening after their arrival in the morning.

Mr. Robt. Wilford was absent in Bowling Green, to which place he had gone to investigate the feasibility of erecting a flouring mill at that place. Mr. Wilford is one of Trigg's representative business men, and Cadiz would hardly know how to get along without him.

The people of Cadiz are somewhat agitated over the building of a railroad to some point. They don't care much where, just so they get an outlet.

Wednesday we took a little drive to Canton, which we found in the same place it was years ago when it was a great shipping point, but which the railroads had rendered of less importance. However the place is not dead yet, as we found out when we got into the store-room of Mr. W. J. Fuqua, the oldest merchant in the place, having been in business at Canton for 30 years. He carries one of the largest general merchandising stocks to be found anywhere, requiring in all five separate and distinct houses. One each for hardware, drugs, dry goods, furniture and farm-

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ing implements. He enjoys the confidence of all who know him, and is one of the most influential men in the county.

Mr. Geo. W. Cobb also sells everything from a yard of calico to a set of furniture, and has been identified with the business interests of Canton for a number of years. He has recently moved into his large double store-room, where he is now able to carry a complete stock of everything in his line.

The only grocery and saloon is kept by Mr. L. L. Johnson, Jr., who has just opened. He expresses himself as well satisfied with his prospects, and as he is an energetic and reliable young man, he will doubtless build up a large trade. Mr. Johnson will act as our agent at Canton, and persons wanting to subscribe can call on him.

Mr. C. H. Major looks after the tobacco interest and has erected a large warehouse for that purpose.

After adding new names to our list all along the line, we returned to the city much pleased with our trip.

The President has issued a proclamation to the "Oklahoma boomers" warning them to keep out of the Indian Territory, which they have threatened to occupy by force, in violation of the law.

At Finchville, Shelby county, W. H. Veech's store was burned by an incendiary. Loss \$2,500; insurance \$1,600.

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TRANSFER AND EXPRESS.

I am now running a transfer wagon in the city, and am ready at all times to haul anything from a trunk to a load of coal. Leave orders at McKee & Co., M. O. Smith & Co., or W. R. Long's groceries. R. W. DEBOW, Mar. 17.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Taken up as a stray by Lafayette Bowles, living on the Edwards and Salubria Mill road, county, Ky., one red bull with white spot in forehead, white belly and lower part of tail white; with no ear mark and brand, and supposed to be 14 months old and appraised by L. S. Lowry and myself at six dollars. This Feb. 28, 1885. J. R. PENICK, J. P. C. C.

SHELBY DUKE.

My thoroughbred bull, Shelby Duke, will make the season at my farm on the Steger's Mill road, at \$3.00.

R. P. OWSLEY.

Christian Circuit Court.

Barnett Seay and Hattie E. Seay, } Equity. Expert.
This day came the petitioners and filed their exparte petition in open court, praying the court to empower Hattie E. Seay to have, use, sell and convey, for her own benefit, any property she may own or acquire, free from the debts or claims of her husband, Barnett Seay, to make contracts, sue and be sued as a single woman; to trade in her own name, and to dispose of her property by will or deed, and to act in all respects as a feme sole.
It is ordered that this order be published in the "South Kentuckian," a newspaper published in Hopkinsville, Ky., the length of time required by law.
A copy attested: B. T. UNDERWOOD, Clerk. C. H. Bush, Attorney.

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Feb. 27 th. BEN S. WOOD.

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Taken up as estray by T. D. Gray, living near Russellville road, about eight miles east of Hopkinsville, in Christian county, on the 23rd day of Jan. 1885, one white cow, aged about three years, dark red, underbit in left ear and fork in right ear, but having no brands or other marks, and which has been appraised at the value of thirteen dollars.

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